



# NORTHEAST HARNESS NEWS

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Racing patrons who flocked to the grand opening of Foxboro, will return for the reopening of the harness meet on September 18th anticipating a record-setter.

## NEW ENGLANDERS WELCOME BACK FOXBORO PARK

The long anticipated reopening of Foxboro will occur on September 18, 1992. Charlie Sarkis' Westwood Group, appears to be totally in control of this one. Much was learned from the aborted Thoroughbred meet. Finally all hands agree that Foxboro is Standardbred country. The troops are ready for an all-out campaign.

The racing plant is in superb condition. The barn area is ready for the influx of horses as of September 2nd. Racing officials were introduced at a press conference recently. It is without question a strong, capable force. Larry Miller, coming in from Monticello, means business. He's there as Director Of Racing and

Race Secretary. His assistant, Rick Kane, is serving as Program Director. After a stint in Maine, Kane is ready for this upgrade. Sal DiMario, who is also well-experienced, will be on board as Presiding Judge. Craig Sculos is Director of Communications, assisted by Carol Malcolm in Media Relations. A new appointment, Fred Frey, comes well recommended as State Steward. Dan Bucci remains as General Manager, and Assistant G.M. will be Rene Riera Jr. Some other positions had not been determined as of press time.

In a recent update, Race Secretary Miller informed the Northeast Harness News that over 1100 applications had been submitted for

the existing 600 stalls. There should not be a problem with horse supply. Actually, the various racetracks in New England should benefit from this influx of horses. Some stables responding include: Bill Hoblich of Ohio, Jim Valente of Michigan, Steve Martz of Kentucky, George Dempsey of Illinois, Jim Doherty from the Meadowlands, Gary Kamal and Wendy Donaway from Saratoga, Elmer Ballard, John DiStefano and Dude Goodblood from Maine. Other stables from Freehold, Monticello, Delmava, Yonkers, Pocono etc. are expected to ship in the first of September. As Miller states, "It will be a melting pot, making for exciting, competitive racing."

The track surface has been manicured, and we have been informed that there will be qualifying races beginning September 11th. Always of interest to horsemen, purses will be \$1,400. for the base \$3,000. claimer, with \$2,000. for the \$4,000. claimer, and \$3,800 for the \$10,000. claimer. The weekly Invitational Trot and Pace will approximate \$6,000. Drivers will benefit from the \$15. minimum or 5%, deducted from the purse for five places.

The physical plant is in top condition, and the groom's quarters and track kitchen are expected to be completed by opening day.

Getting excited? We'll see you there on the long awaited opening day!

## IMPORTANT DATES AND UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sept. 1 - Maine Breeders Stakes at Windsor - Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, & Sat.
- Sept. 2 - Maine Harness Race Commission meets in Augusta.
- Sept. 5 - Blue Hill Fair opens for three days on non-parimutuel racing.
- Sept. 6 - The Arthur McGee Memorial Pace at Windsor Fair.
- Sept. 6 - Maine Breeders Stakes at Scarborough - Sun, Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat.
- Sept. 11 - First qualifying races at Foxboro Park.
- Sept. 12 - Farmington Fair opener.
- Sept. 13 - Two Year Old Maine Breeders Stakes Finals at Scarborough.
- Sept. 15 - New England Sulky Mare Registration Due - \$15.
- Sept. 17 - Rochester Fair opens with the N.H. Sweeps and Bucky Day Memorial.
- Sept. 18 - Foxboro Park grand opening of the 1992 harness meet.
- Sept. 18 - Ted Langdel Memorial at the Rochester Fair.
- Sept. 19 - Willis Pease & George Phelan Memorial at the Rochester Fair.
- Sept. 20 - Morrisville College Yearling Horse Sale - Morrisville, N.Y.

- Sept. 20 - Bert Beckwith Memorial at Rochester Fair.
- Sept. 20 - \$2,500. Tri-Fair Classic at the Farmington Fair.
- Sept. 22 - Ladies Driving Championship at Rochester Fair.
- Sept. 22 - \$1,700. Tri-Fair Classic at the Farmington Fair.
- Sept. 23 - Maine Breeders Stakes at Farmington Fair - Wed, Thurs, Fri.
- Sept. 23 - Hall Of Fame "Invitational Trot" Rochester Fair.
- Sept. 24 - Buddy Reed Memorial - Rochester Fair.
- Sept. 25 - New Hampshire Sweeps Final - Rochester Fair.
- Sept. 26 - Ralph Fenno Memorial - Rochester Fair.
- Sept. 27 - Atlantic Seaboard Yearling & Mixed Sale - New Jersey Horse Park.
- Sept. 27 - Cumberland Fair opens to the Tri-Fair Classic.
- Sept. 28 - Grand Circuit opens at Red Mile in Lexington, Ky.
- Sept. 30 - Maine Breeders Stakes - Cumberland Fair - Wed, Thur, Fri.
- Sept. 30 - \$1,700. Tri-Fair Classic at Cumberland Fair.



# Letters To The Editor



Dear Editor,

This letter is intended to present the Rochester Equine Clinic to your readers. This facility is for treating lameness to broken legs. The hospital includes; a operating suite for various surgeries, a swimming pool for post operative rehabilitation and conditioning, a high speed treadmill (faster than Kentucky Derby winners) for lameness and upper respiratory diagnosis, a neonatal unit (our pediatrics ward), thermographic imaging (a heat sensor which gives the horses total image in

color for detecting inflamed areas), a clinical pathology laboratory for analyzing various blood tests and a variety of other diagnostic and therapeutic modalities.

The Rochester Equine Clinic staff would be happy to provide an interview and demonstration of this equipment to any groups of interested horse owners.

Sincerely,  
Grant D. Myhre, DVM  
Tel. 603-332-6482

Dear Jean,

I was given one of your papers from June, and read the piece on the trotter, Genius. I was a good friend of Buddy Reed, and also Cleland Jones, who drove the little horse.

straight Trotting Derby win for us. I was very proud of him, and loved him like a brother.

You do a very nice paper!

As ever,

I owned and trained Jerry Dean, the horse that beat Genius. That was the fourth

Editors Note: Obby Ginn  
He's now a subscriber!

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## Obituaries

JUDITH E. BURKE

Judith "Judy" Burke, 54, of Carmel, Maine, died on August 21, 1992 at a Bangor hospital after a long battle with cancer. She was born in Eddington, Maine and was a 1956 graduate of Hampden Academy. Judy was a long time member of the Downeast Harness Horsemen's Association, the Maine Harness Horsemen's Association and the United States Trotting Association. She was a harness horse owner, trainer and driver for many years. Most recently she had trained the top trotter, When To Win for the Rawcliffes of East Holden, Maine. The horse did win at Scarborough Downs on August 21st, and Judy was told of the victory.

She is survived by sons, William and Robert; a daughter, Cherri; brothers, Everett and Arthur, plus five grandsons. She will be remembered by a close companion, Reginald Rawcliffe, and friends, Walter and Joyce McIntire. We will all miss Judy.

HARVEY J. SMITH

Harvey J. Smith, 50, died August 20th in the paddock at the Skowhegan Fair. He was born in Orville, Me. and was a member of the United States Trotting Association, The Maine Harness Horseman's association and was a patrol judge at many local tracks. He also worked for Alexander Horse Supply.

He is survived by his wife Carla; three sons, Jeffrey, Scott and Anthony; five daughters Roxann, Kathy, Andrea, Jeremie and Hannah; two brothers, Riley and Royal; three sisters, Eleanor, Rita and Lillie. He will be missed by Maine's racing community.

## Congratulations...

Best Wishes to Joey Mosher and Wendy Glaster married in August. Joey, assisted by Wendy, trains a stable of top racehorses and Stakes performers. Home base is at Bangor Raceway, but with the fair season in full swing, the stable will be traveling. Good Luck!

Best Wishes, also, to Todd and Donna (Sawyer) Dubois on the birth of a baby boy, Thomas Eric, born on August 13th. The family presently lives in Old Orchard Beach and races at Scarborough Downs. Grandparents are Raymond and Caren Sawyer.

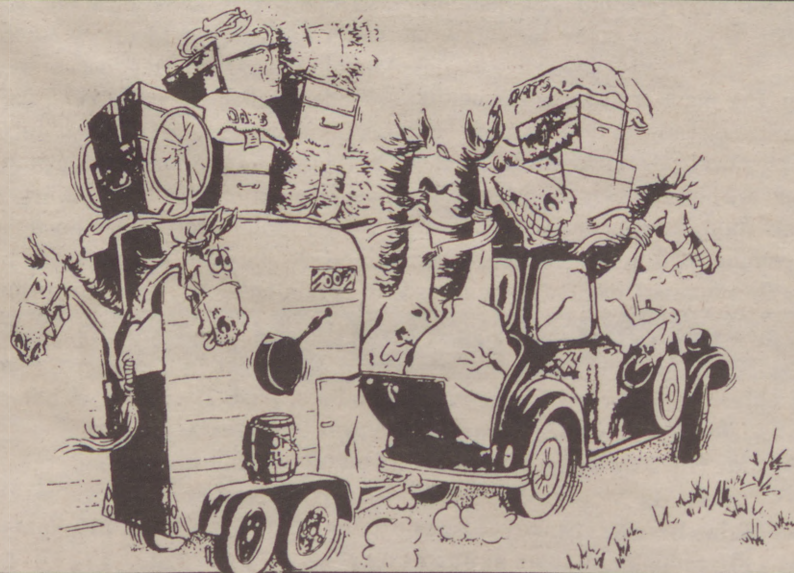
## PINE TREE MIXED SALE

September 21, 1992

CUMBERLAND RACEWAY  
Auctioneer, William Mosher

Equipment Sells At 9:30 a.m.  
Horse Sale At 11:00 a.m.

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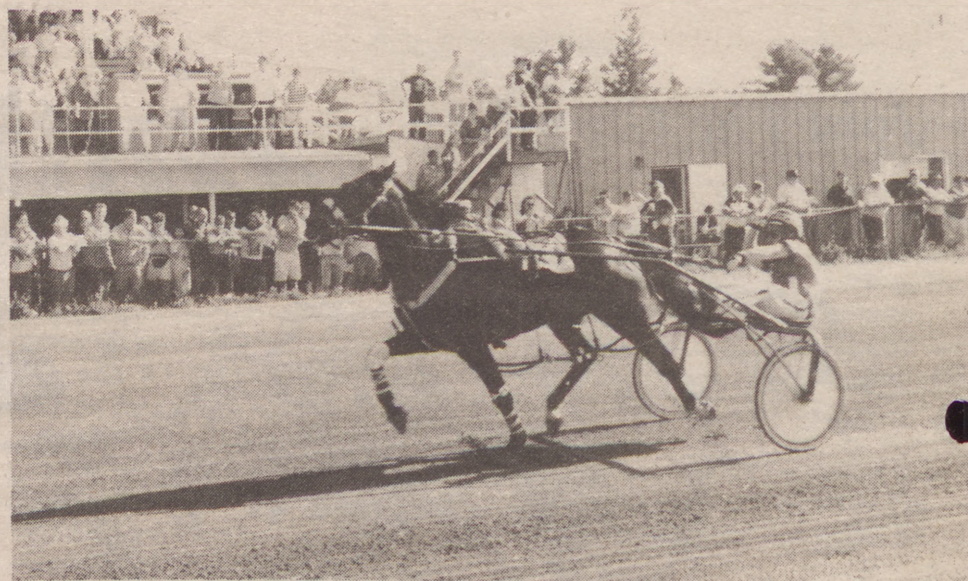
# Maine Breeders Sale Results

## August 29, 1992

## Cumberland, Me.

### YEARLINGS

<b>I WIN KASH IN</b>	(Groveton - Kathy's Kash)	\$500.
Jean Bryar, Meredith, N.H.		
<b>L.S. MONEY MAN</b>	(Royal Reward - Keystone Heart)	\$400.
Gertrude Carey, Albion, Me.		
<b>PERCY'S STAR</b>	(Persuadable - Lori's Escort)	\$775
Allison Mc Donald, Newport, Me.		
<b>GAELIC LAVENISH</b>	(Cavenish - Lovely's Miss)	\$1,000.
Denise McNitt, Gray, Me.		
<b>SWEET N PERKY</b>	(Springfest - Maudene N)	\$2,900.
Ron Ferron, Westfield, Mass.		
<b>RONDANDY</b>	(Slugger Almahurst - Mountain Cindy)	\$1990.
Richard Hartley, Bangor, Me.		
<b>PERSUASIVE PEG</b>	(Persuadable - Mountain Heather)	\$575
G. & W. Maker, Limerick, Me.		
<b>HAVA DREAM</b>	(Malady's Atom - My Fair Princess)	\$2,000.
William Shirland, Old Town, Me.		
<b>LINDON'S SASSY</b>	(Money Supply - Oops A Daisy)	\$1,100.
Stan Whittemore, Cumberland, Me.		
<b>LINDON'S AMBROSE</b>	(Armbro Blaze - Petal Pusher)	\$1,000.
Stan Whittemore, Cumberland, Me.		
<b>LINDON'S NEW FELLA</b>	(Armbro Blaze - Pomella)	\$675.
Stan Whittemore, Cumberland, Me.		
<b>SPRING COMMOTION</b>	(Springfest - Princess Of Pride)	\$1050.
Bernard Gaudette, Cumberland, Me.		
<b>GAELIC RASCAL</b>	(TNT's Bambino - Regan Carrie)	\$5,100.
Allison MacDonald, Newport, Me.		
<b>LINDON'S REBA LEE</b>	(Armbro Blaze - Rifka Lee)	\$1,550.
Carl Marean, Standish, Me.		
<b>E.C.WASCO</b>	(Groveton - Speedy Splendor)	\$1,350.
Bob Levi, Portland, Me.		
<b>SWEET CANDYMAN</b>	(Witsend's Tribute - Sweet Lollipop)	\$1,250.
Carl Marean, Standish, Me.		
<b>LINDON'S SMARTIE</b>	(Armbro Blaze - AD's Belinda)	\$1,550.
Stan Whittemore, Cumberland, Me.		
<b>ATOM'S TREASURE</b>	(Malady's Atom - Blond Baroness)	\$1,400.
Gary Sprague, Pownal, Me.		
<b>MAINE LEADER</b>	(Stoddard Hanover - B.B. Dolly)	\$525.
Vinal Goss, Agt. Cumberland, Me.		
<b>GAELIC BILLY</b>	(My Bill Forwood - Birgitta Lobell)	\$1,150.
Marilyn Carter, Mapleton, Me.		
<b>LINDON'S KRYSTLE</b>	(Armbro Blaze - Bonwit)	\$2,400.
Carl Marean, Standish, Me.		
<b>LINDON'S HOT MACMAN</b>	(Hot Blooded - Brighter Moment)	\$2,100.
Carl Marean, Standish, Me.		
<b>ARCTIC BEAUTY</b>	(Skip By Night - Cheeky Miss)	\$1,900.
Fred Nichols, Orono, Me.		
<b>LINDON'S PENNY</b>	(Money Supply - Direct Vibes)	\$2,000.
Leonard Pierce, Carmen, Me.		
<b>MY BILL WHITNEY</b>	(My Bill Forwood - Fallon)	\$600.
Marion Deslandes, Island Pond, Vt.		
<b>LINDON'S AMBER</b>	(Armbro Blaze - Fiddlefoot)	\$1,550.
Marcia Salmon, Waterville, Me.		
<b>DAMAGING WITNESS</b>	(Skip By Night - Eyewitness)	\$675.
Marion Deslandes, Island Pond, Vt.		
<b>FULLY RENTED</b>	(Cavenish - Sue's Scooter)	\$1,050.
Rick Mason, Lunenburg, Mass.		
<b>KAY M</b>	(Cavenish - No No Shira)	\$3,200.
Linwood Perkins, Cornish, Me.		
<b>CRAN MEADOW RUBY</b>	(Springfest - B.B.'s Sparkle)	\$1,550.
Ed Hall, Berwick, Me.		
<b>CRAN MEADOW RACHEL</b>	(Fast Pete - J.M.Frill)	\$425.
Laurene Dumond, No. Windham, Me.		
<b>CRAN MEADOW APRIL</b>	(Fast Pete - Firefly Blue Chip)	\$400.
Sandra Hall, Berwick, Me.		
<b>CRAN MEADOW DEBBIE</b>	(Best Jeffrey - Riv Lea Shady Lady)	\$275.
Leroy Turner, Washburn, Me.		
<b>BROODMARES</b>		
<b>GIRL FRIDAY</b> with filly	(Silent Majority - Friday Landbaron)	\$2,050.
Allison MacDonald, Newport, Me.		
<b>HAPPY BLOSSOM</b>	(Nansemond - Steady Blossom)	\$450.
Stan Whittemore, Cumberland, Me.		
<b>SHADY LACE</b>	(Computer - Steel Curtain)	\$400.
Stan Whittemore, Cumberland, Me.		



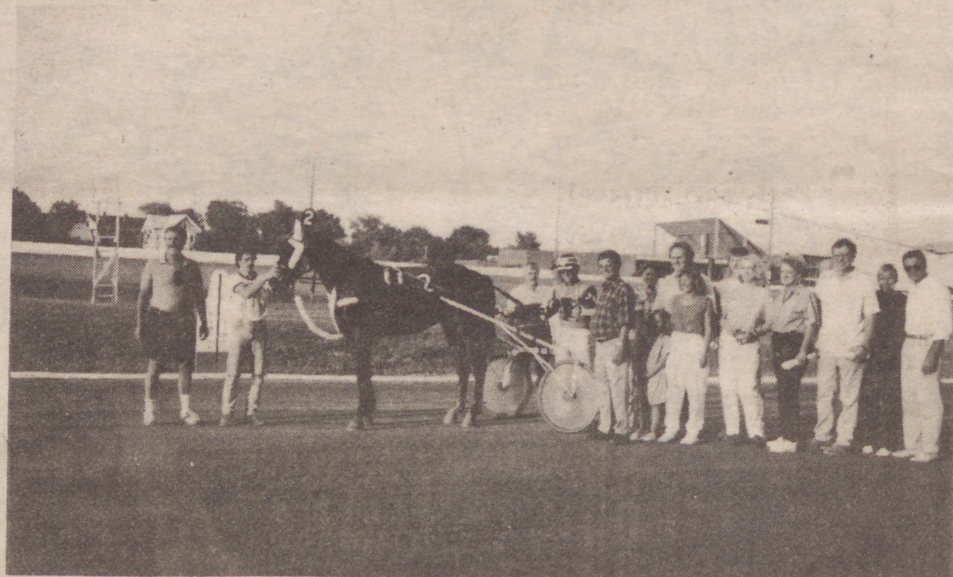
**AUTOBOT**, driven by George Brennan Jr. sets a new track record of 1:55.2 in the Walter Hight Memorial on the final day of racing at the Skowhegan Fair.

## Records Set At Skowhegan Fair

BY KEN WARD

Race Secretary, Denise Herrick, programmed evenly matched, competitive racing fields at the recent Skowhegan Fair. The net result was a new track record, four sub-two minute miles and several horses setting new lifetime marks. Skowhegan also enjoyed its second highest parimutuel handle, recording a total of \$141,893. This according to General Manager, Maitland Richardson, was the highest single-day handle since 1988.

In the 11th race feature, The Hight Pace, George Brennan Jr. driving Autobot, moved at the half to take over control from Gary Hall and Jigger Of Gin. He continued the record-setting pace to win by 6 lengths in 1:55.2 setting a new track mark and also adding \$3,000. to the purse for owners Larry Burris and Al Del Monico of Massachusetts.



The two year old trotter, **TINA'S SURPRISE**, owned by Rawcliffe and Glaster, wins for Joey Mosher at Bangor Raceway in 2:06.3.

## No Decision On Bangor Fall Meet

BY KEN WARD

To date there has been no decision on fall racing dates at Bangor Raceway. Kurt Rogerson, General Manager of the Bass Park Corporation, said a special meeting of the Board is expected very soon.

At the present time, Bangor has been authorized by the Maine Harness Racing Commission to race 16 days in October with the last day of racing to be Nov. 1st. Rogerson stated that with decent weather and a reasonable supply of horses a fall meet could be very successful. The Commissions approval of four simulcasts per program would help augment the situation.

During the recently completed 45 day meet, Bangor's total parimutuel handle was down about 7.7% from 1991 according to figures compiled by the Maine Harness Horsemen Association. The purse account was overpaid by \$13,230. which is not recoverable, except by lowering the purses in 1993. A decent fall meet could make all the difference.

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# MAINE STANDARD BRED BREEDERS STAKES

## Scoreboard '92 - Current Point Standings - Top Ten - August 31

THREE YEAR OLD COLTS

Jim's Trusty Guy	287
Out For Blood	245
Old Doc Heath	212
Throg	188
Trigger	132
Percy Day	97
Webster's Pride	96
Race Me B G	75
Race Me Marble	70
Mc Webb	67

THREE YEAR OLD TROTTERS

Kelvin's First Babe	325
Questionable	236
Gaelic Dynamite	145
Royal A J	110
Tax Deductable	100
Race Me Genius	96
Devious Lass	62
Virgin Rain	44
Cobbossee	42
Gaelic Super T	37

THREE YEAR OLD FILLIES

NJ's Golden Girl	274
Orono	237
Footloosenfancyfree	187
Pine River Cassie	175
Happy Throckmorton	112
Toby	87
M S Hope	78
My Bill's Heather	67
Lake Valley Miss	58
Speedy Sarah	55

TWO YEAR OLD COLTS

Madawaska	187
Jonathan	183
Flash Atom	175
Race Me G Hossafat	175
Joonya	150
Shoeless Bo	137
Percy's Escort	137
Bryan Russell	120
Race Me Romeo	104
Rajen Squareface	66

TWO YEAR OLD TROTTERS

Gaelic Raphael	250
Tina's Surprise	225
Bambi's Blast	199
Knotch Hill Russ	99
Songo	78
G.M.'s Paige	65
Gamble's Altonia	58
Hanbro Shauna	37
Lindon's Pamola	35
Brenda's Comet	29

TWO YEAR OLD FILLIES

I'm Convinced	237
Gaelic Ginger	195
Lindon's Girlie	162
MDP Pace	117
Winsong Tiffany	103
Cam's Babe	74
Rometta Lynn	58
Sterling Lucy	44
Wild Wee Lily	41
Mrs. Flo	40

Make Plans Now To Follow The Juvenile Performers In The...

# MAINE STANDARD BRED BREEDERS STAKES

In The Rest Of Their 1992 Schedule Of Exciting Harness Racing!

## SEPTEMBER

WINDSOR FAIR - 2yr Colt Pacers 9/1 - 2yr Trotters & Filly Pacers 9/2

3yr Trotters 9/3 - 3yr Filly Pacers 9/4 - 3yr Colt Pacers 9/5

SCARBOROUGH DOWNS - 2yr Colt Pacers 9/6 - 2yr Trotters & Filly Pacers 9/7

3yr Trotters 9/9 - 3yr Filly Pacers 9/11 - 3yr Colt Pacers 9/12

2yr MSBS Finals 9/13

FARMINGTON FAIR - 3yr Trotters 9/23 - 3yr Filly Pacers 9/24 - 3yr Colt Pacers 9/25

CUMBERLAND FAIR - 3yr Trotters 9/30

## OCTOBER

CUMBERLAND FAIR - 3yr Filly Pacers 10/1 - 3yr Colt Pacers 10/2

FRYEBURG FAIR - 3yr Trotters 10/7 - 3yr Filly Pacers 10/8 - 3yr Colt Pacers 10/9

3yr MSBS Finals 10/17 or 10/18



## QUALITY STOCK FOR SALE

### Yearling Filly **SWEET MARY LOU**

b.f, 4/15/91

Sire: SKIP BY NIGHT

Dam: FLYING MILLIE K

(by Flying Bret)

Price: \$2,000.

Half-Sister To:

Trusty Star p. 1:57.2 \$119,000.

Trusty Bilbo p. 2:00h \$53,000.

Trusty K p. 2:01h \$30,000.

Trusty Lass p. 1:59h \$21,000.

### Yearling Colt **BETTER NIGHT**

b.c, 6/3/91

Sire: SKIP BY NIGHT

Dam: CAPE PINE BETTER

(by Race Time)

Price: \$2,500.

Half-Brother To:

Commissions p. 2:00.3 \$90,000.

Hatteras p. 1:57.4 \$45,000.

Pine Point Jes p. 1:59.3 \$46,000.

### 2yr Old Maine Stakes Filly **MRS. FLO**

(Trusty Star - Ruddington Caper - B.G.'s Bunny)

Currently racing and has 2 thirds and 2 fourths  
in the Maine Breeders Stakes. Eligible to 3yr old  
Maine Breeders Stakes and N.E.S.C. in '93.

Price: \$2,000.

For Information Contact: Gerald Smith

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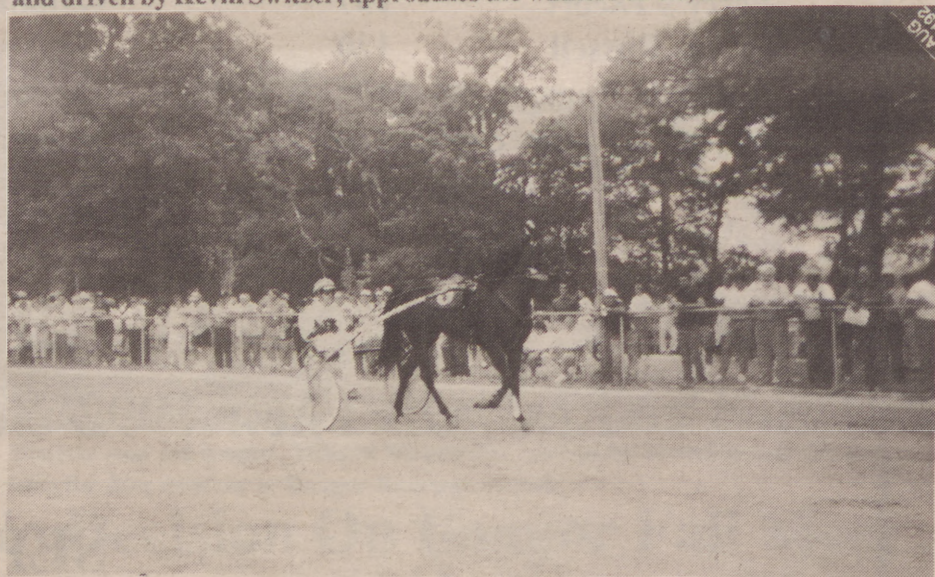
7 - 8 a.m. or after 8 p.m.



Union Fair patrons, relaxing on the green, watching horses parade to post.



RACE ME GENIUS three year old trotter, owned and trained by Dana Childs and driven by Kevin Switzer, approaches the winners circle, after a mile in 2:08.



Derrick Nye parades three year old trotter, KELVIN'S FIRST BABE, owned and trained by Ellery Corson, to the winner's circle at Union Fair.



The feature \$2,500. Harold Ralph Trot was won by TERISSE ANN in 2:04 driven by Scott MacKenzie. The Ralph family presents the trophy in the winners circle.



*The Following Sires Will Be Represented At...*

# THE ATLANTIC SEABOARD YEARLING SALE

September 27, 1992, 12:00 Noon, At The Horse Park Of New Jersey  
Allentown, N.J.



## Index Of Sires



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2 - Amity Chef  
1 - Apache Circle  
1 - Armbro Aussie  
1 - Baltic Speed  
1 - Bandelier  
1 - Barberry Spur  
1 - Beach Walker  
1 - B.J.'s Super Star  
10 - B.G.'s Bunny  
2 - Bonebreaker  
2 - Camtastic

2 - Colt Fortysix  
3 - Distant Thunder  
1 - Escape Artist  
7 - Flak Bait  
4 - Forrest Skipper  
1 - Fortune Teller  
1 - George Allen  
1 - Happy Man  
2 - Jaguar Spur  
5 - Kassa Branca  
3 - Landslide  
2 - Marauder

1 - Nearly Perfect  
1 - Nero  
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1 - Pershing Square  
1 - Praised Dignity  
4 - Probe  
1 - Radiant Ruler  
1 - Raging Glory  
1 - Ralph Hanover

8 - Redskin  
1 - Ridgewood Express  
2 - Rookery  
4 - Rule The Wind  
6 - Samadhi  
2 - Sherman Almahurst  
3 - Signed'N Sealed  
1 - Skipper's Ensign  
1 - Storm Damage  
1 - Super Jet  
1 - Tyler B.  
2 - Tyler's Mark  
1 - Warm Breeze



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## Meadowlands Sale Results

**August 23, 1992**

**Summer Mixed Sale**

### BROODMARES

CONQUEST b.m. 1974 (Speedster - Song Of Victory) \$1,100.

Robert Luassier, Fairhaven, Vt.

GAY ANN HERBERT b.m. 1979 (Reflected Way - Gay Connie) \$23,000.

Annette Roydon, Newfane, Vt.

TARPORT SHANA br.m. 1981 (Governor Skipper - Shana Almahurst) \$5,000.

Roger Slobody, West Brookfield, Mass.

WITH PLEASURE b.m. 1981 (Sonsam - Sirup Time) \$10,500.

Mark Spear, Portland, Me.

### TWO YEAR OLDS

DRIP DROP b.g. 1990 (Barberry Spur - Sprinkle) \$1,700.

Paul Magan, Plympton, Mass.

L DEES ROBIN b.f. 1990 (Niatross - L Dees Domain) \$2,200.

Marilyn Branagan, Greene, Me.

FRENCH RELIC b.f. 1990 (Praised Dignity - Best Of Waverly) \$2,500.

Bruce Cooper, Saratoga Springs, N.Y.

### THREE YEAR OLDS & OLDER

BILLY LETSGO b.g. 1989 (Abercrombie - Forever Sparkle) \$22,500.

Roger Slobody, Agt. West Brookfield, Mass.

IDONTWANTTOGROWUP b.f. 1989 (Direct Scooter - Kalamazu Laux.) \$6,700.

Roger Slobody, Agt. West Brookfield, Mass.

SIR LAAG gr. g. 1989 (Laag - Windustrious) \$8,500.

VM Stable, Watertown, Mass.

SYRACUSE b.c. 1989 (Arndon - Keystone Selindra) \$5,200.

Bonnie Rush, Plympton, Mass.

TIMEISOFTHEESSENCE b.c. 1989 (Nihilator - Ingrid Lobell) \$13,000.

Joe McCarthy, West Springfield, Mass.

### FOUR YEAR OLDS

ARMBRO FLEMING b.h. 1984 (Direct Scooter - Armbrro Bunny) \$14,500.

Paul Fontaine, Woonsocket, R.I.

COULD THIS B MAGIC ch. h. 1988 (Seahawk Hanover - Alma Blue Chip) \$12,500.

Mark Spear, Portland, Me.

MAPLESTAR b.g. 1987 (Workaholic - Kristi Thunder) \$8,700.

Aaron Tuttle, New Portland, Me.

NJ TRAFFIC COURT b.m. 1987 (Trenton - Merging Traffic) \$9,000.

Andrew Mastro, Lakeville, Mass.

BUNNIE MILLBANK b.f. 1989 (Tuscon Hanover - Nunny Bunnie) \$4,500.

Mickey Burke, Fredericktown, Pa.

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# From The Past, Comes The Present

BY BOB LIEBERMAN

It is amazing how the old cliché "What goes around, comes around" comes true. After waiting for six years, the sulkies will be "coming around" at Foxboro Park this month.

To some people it might seem like yesterday, but to the owners, horsemen and women who made investments and dedicated their lives to the sport, it seems like an eternity.

With the Westwood Group, headed by Charles Sarkis in command, Foxboro Park will be alive and "in harness" soon. As expected, a full house is already predicted and the handle should reflect this support.

One can't help but think of the "good old days" and look forward to seeing a bigger and far more profitable operation this time around.

With a beautiful "state of the art" facility and a classier field of horses, the paying public should see the quality and competitiveness. That's what counts!

The resurging track, with its recently hired experienced officials, bode well for the opener. With this positive atmosphere, Management and the Horsemen's Association must work together for the best meet possible.

Looking back does bring back memories, and for some it should be an eye opener. As you look at the chart below, from twenty-five years ago, maybe you will see some familiar names from the past. Look at the handle and attendance. Let's hope that what goes around will truly come all the way around this time.

## BAY STATE CHARTS

Saturday, July 1, 1967

H.N.	HORSE	P.P.	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str.	Fin.	Time	Drivers	Win	Place	Show	Eq.Odds	FAST
<b>1st Race—1 Mile Pace—Non-winners of \$3,500 in '66-'67 cd.</b>														
1	JUSTLY BRAVE	4	4	2	1	11	11	(2:06.1)	C. DAY	\$4.50	1.03	1.34	2.06	FAST
2	CHET TIME	5	3	2	1	22	23	(2:07.1)	A. PRESTANDRIA		3.20	2.40	3.50	
3	SO CUTE	1	6	7	6	52	32	(2:07.4)	A. LANGILLE JR.		4.80	3.20	3.60	
4	DON WEBB	8	7	5	4	31	50	(2:08.1)	F. INMAN				12.20	
5	PRETTY MARTHA	7	2	3	5	720	6	(2:08.1)	P. BATTIS				35.30	
6	JET FLIGHT	6	1	1	3	41	7	(2:08.1)	J. HASSAPELIS				6.10	
7	IRISH KATHLEEN	3	8	8	8	8	8	(2:08.1)	Jo. HOGAN				9.80	
8	GAY RHAPSODY	2	1	1	3	41	7	(2:08.1)	B. BRAMBLE					
<b>2nd Race—1 Mile Pace—Claiming \$1,500 cd.</b>														
1	ALPENA (1500)	1	2	2	1	14	15	(2:09.1)	Ra. TREMBLAY	\$4.40	3.00	2.20	51.20	FAST
2	TAG HANOVER (1500)	2	3	3	2	31	22	(2:10.1)	L. NICHOLS		7.00	3.20	11.30	
3	DIRECT FLIGHT (1500)	3	6	6	7	61	41	(2:11.1)	H. MANDIGO JR.			3.00	3.40	
4	MOUNTAIN GLEN (2250)	7	4	4	5	41	51	(2:11.1)	A. LANGILLE JR.				36.30	
5	B. E. SCOTCH (2250)	5	5	7	7	720	6	(2:11.2)	R. PULTZ				46.30	
6	FRISCO JOE (1500)	8	1	1	3	2	7	(2:12.1)	S. BECKWITH				3.50	
7	BUSTER CREED (1500)	4	3	3	2	3	8	(2:12.1)	J. SIEWIERSKI				8.30	
<b>3rd Race—1 Mile Pace—Non-winners of \$2,000 cd.</b>														
1	SUCCESS DONNA	5	3	2	3	36	11	(2:08.1)	G. HARP JR.	\$5.80	3.20	2.50	51.90	FAST
2	CASS CITY	4	1	1	2	21	23	(2:08.2)	A. LANGILLE JR.		1.60	2.30	2.40	
3	PRIDES RYTER	3	5	5	4	31	32	(2:08.3)	N. ALLEN			6.00	24.60	
4	THEODORA ADIOS	1	5	4	3	1	3	(2:09.3)	A. LADER JR.				1.30	
5	DEBBIE FLYER	7	6	6	6	64	53	(2:10.1)	W. ROSS				32.70	
6	ECHO BROOK ETNA	8	7	7	7	74	61	(2:11.1)	J. ALOY				72.70	
7	ADIOS VICTOR	2	2	3	4	41	7	(2:11.1)	F. INMAN				9.20	
8	GIGI HANOVER	6	8	8	8	8	8	(2:11.1)	C. DAY				21.80	
<b>4th Race—1 Mile Pace—Claiming \$3,500 cd.</b>														
1	KNOXVILLE (3500)	2	2	3	4	21	2	(2:08.2)	B. BECKWITH	\$4.40	1.04	1.36	2.08	FAST
2	SCOTTISH ROUTE (3500)	3	1	1	1	11	2	(2:08.3)	P. BATTIS		3.80	3.20	5.50	
3	EDDIE LEE (3500)	3	1	1	1	11	31	(2:08.3)	G. LACHANCE			2.80	3.10	
4	MIGHTY LITTLE ONE (3500)	1	3	5	5	3	3	(2:08.4)	R. PULTZ				23.60	
5	MISS QUE (3500)	6	4	4	4	3	5	(2:08.4)	He BRITZ				7.70	
6	LALAI HASTE (3500)	5	4	4	4	3	5	(2:08.5)	N. ALLEN				13.70	
7	QUEPONCO DON (5250)	7	3	2	6	7	7	(2:10.4)	R. STILES JR.				14.80	
8	JOHN D. NEBLETT (3500)	Scratched												
<b>5th Race—1 Mile Pace—Claiming Hcp. \$4,000-\$4,500.</b>														
1	LAWMASTER (4500)	6	2	3	2	11	11	(2:09.1)	W. CHICOYNE	\$13.50	3.80	4.00	55.30	FAST
2	MR. CHOCKYOTTE (4500)	2	6	5	3	31	22	(2:09.2)	A. DAY		3.20	2.50	1.40	
3	KNIGHT CHAMP (4000)	1	1	1	1	1	3	(2:10.1)	R. PULTZ				3.50	
4	IRISH PETE (4000)	1	5	5	5	61	41	(2:10.1)	W. ROSS				2.50	
5	SANTA BEAU (4000)	4	1	2	1	6	5	(2:10.1)	G. LACHANCE				5.50	
6	JUDY'S BEAUTY (4000)	5	3	3	3	73	62	(2:10.1)	P. BATTIS				9.10	
7	GARY BOY (4000)	3	3	3	3	21	7	(2:10.3)	H. MANDIGO JR.				31.50	
8	MEADOW NET (4500)	8	3	7	1	8	8	(2:10.3)	J. HUTCH				23.70	
<b>6th Race—1 Mile Pace—Non-winners of \$6,500 in '66-'67 cd.</b>														
1	EXPRESS Z	1	2	2	2	11	1	(2:06.1)	B. REDDEN	\$9.20	1.03	1.35	2.06	FAST
2	ADIOS TOMORROW	1	2	2	2	21	21	(2:06.1)	P. BATTIS		4.80	3.60	5.60	
3	MISCHIEF MORAKA	4	3	3	3	31	31	(2:06.2)	A. DAY		3.30	2.80	3.40	
4	SIR DON	2	3	3	3	31	31	(2:06.3)	J. ALOY				11.20	
5	CANDY ADIOS	6	4	4	4	3	5	(2:06.4)	A. LANGILLE JR.				41.80	
6	MISCHIEF KYLE	3	8	8	8	71	71	(2:07.4)	L. O'MEARA				41.80	
7	IRISH EDDIE	7	5	5	5	3	8	(2:07.4)	G. HARP JR.				7.90	
8	HASTY JOE	7	5	5	5	3	8	(2:10.2)	Ed. TRACY				5.00	
<b>7th Race—1 Mile Pace—Winners of over \$7,500 in '66-'67 cd.</b>														
1	SHADYDALE COUNSEL	5	5	5	5	31	11	(2:07.3)	Hen. FILION	\$11.20	7.00	4.00	54.60	FAST
2	MAJESTIC PICK	3	3	3	3	2	2	(2:07.4)	B. BECKWITH		7.20	4.00	41.30	
3	WIDOWER BROWN	1	1	1	1	1	1	(2:08.1)	A. WINGER			3.00	41.30	
4	SAMPSON FRISCO	4	4	4	4	3	3	(2:08.2)	R. STILES JR.				25.70	
5	MIRACULOUS	4	4	4	4	3	3	(2:08.2)	A. LANGILLE JR.				3.30	
6	SHELTON ABBE	1	4	4	4	5	5	(2:08.3)	Q. MCKENNEY				5.10	
7	FAIR ROSE	8	8	8	8	8	8	(2:08.3)	J. G. SMITH				18.50	
8	ATALANTA	7	8	8	8	8	8	(2:08.3)	E. BEEDE				18.50	
<b>8th Race—1 Mile Pace—Winners of over \$7,500 in '66-'67 cd.</b>														
1	CASH BATTLE	1	3	3	3	21	12	(2:06.1)	A. LANGILLE JR.	\$4.40	3.50	2.90	51.20	FAST
2	LANCER MORAKA	3	3	3	3	31	21	(2:06.2)	A. DAY		5.30	4.20	3.80	
3	DENNIE M	2	3	3	3	31	31	(2:06.3)	W. ROSS			8.00	15.20	
4	MISS FOREVER	1	4	4	4	1	1	(2:07.1)	I. FOSTER				10.00	
5	MR. YANKEE SCOTT	1	1	1	1	1	1	(2:07.1)	H. BARKER				25.20	
6	HELEN JO ADIOS	1	1	1	1	1	1	(2:07.1)	G. LACHANCE				5.10	
7	AFTON COLBY	3	8	8	8	8	73	(2:07.4)	L. PUNTOLILLO				15.20	
8	GRATEFUL PAT	3	1	1	1	2	3	(2:08.2)	L. COPELAND				2.50	
<b>9th Race—1 Mile Pace—Invitational</b>														
1	GOOD TIME GENE	4	5	5	5	11	11	(2:06.1)	L. COPELAND	\$13.60	8.20	5.20	55.30	FAST
2	MOUNTAIN VIEW	7	7	7	7	21	22	(2:06.2)	F. INMAN		12.00	5.80	13.20	
3	ANDY ADIOS	8	7	7	7	31	31	(2:06.2)	B. REDDEN			2.60	41.70	
4	ESQUIRE ROB	3	8	8	8	31	31	(2:06.4)	P. BATTIS				36.20	
5	CHOCKYOTTE DOC	1	3	4	5	6	5	(2:07.1)	A. B. YOUNG				13.10	
6	LOU SONG	5	1	1	1	31	62	(2:07.1)	A. WINGER				5.00	
7	TULIP KING	5	8	8	7	1	7	(2:07.1)	G. LACHANCE				5.10	
8	ST. JAMES STREET	8	8	8	8	8	8	(2:07.4)	R. SMITH				6.00	
<b>10th Race—1 Mile Pace—Open "Salute to Standardbred Owners"</b>														
1	SKIPPER GENE	5	2	2	1	121	13	(2:01.3)	A. DAY	\$4.80	3.20	2.40	51.40	FAST
2	RUNNYMEDE CHUCK	4	6	6	6	4	4	(2:02.1)	J. SPROUSE		4.00	2.80	4.40	
3	YANKEE TIMBER	1	5	5	5	2	3	(2:02.3)	L. COPELAND			2.20	2.00	
4	SWEET LUCK	7	1	1	1	2	3	(2:02.3)	J. CARDANA				12.90	
5	PHILIP DALE	3	3	3	3	51	51	(2:03.1)	B. REDDEN				15.40	
6	FATHER LAND	2	4	4	4	5	5	(2:03.1)	G. LACHANCE				15.00	
7	DUSTY KAY GOLD	6	7	7	7	7	7	(2:03.1)	Hen. FILION				15.00	
<b>11th Race—1 Mile Pace—Non-winners of \$3,500 in '66-'67 cd.</b>														
1	TOP DAY	8	3	3	3	1	1	(2:07.2)	J. CLOHOSSEY	\$12.60	4.60	4.80	55.20	FAST
2	CHIP'S CHAMP	2	6	6	6	2	2	(2:07.3)	A. DAY		2.80	2.40	2.20	
3	NOW WIN	7	7	7	7	5	3	(2:07.3)	F. INMAN			5.20	21.30	
4	WYN MAC PHERSON	3	3	3	3	5	3	(2:07.3)	G. HARDIE				10.50	
5	RELIABLE PICK	3	3	3	3	5	3	(2:07.3)	P. BATTIS				3.20	
6	MAIN REASON	6	1	2	2	4	6	(2:08.1)	B. BECKWITH				14.70	
7	DAZZLE HAL	5	4	4	4	6	8	(2:08.3)	W. FAUCHER				22.30	
8	BEN STAR	5	2	3	3	1	7	(2:08.4)	I. FOSTER				14.70	

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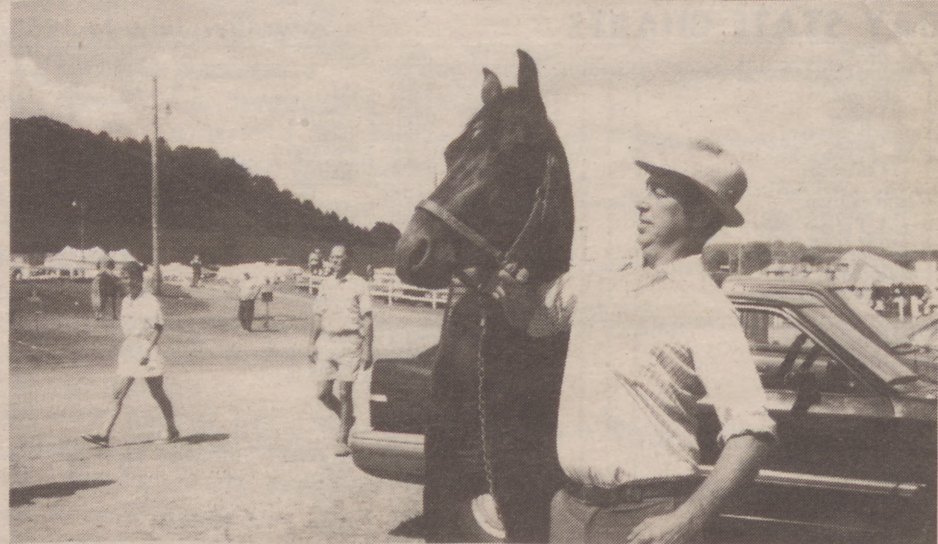
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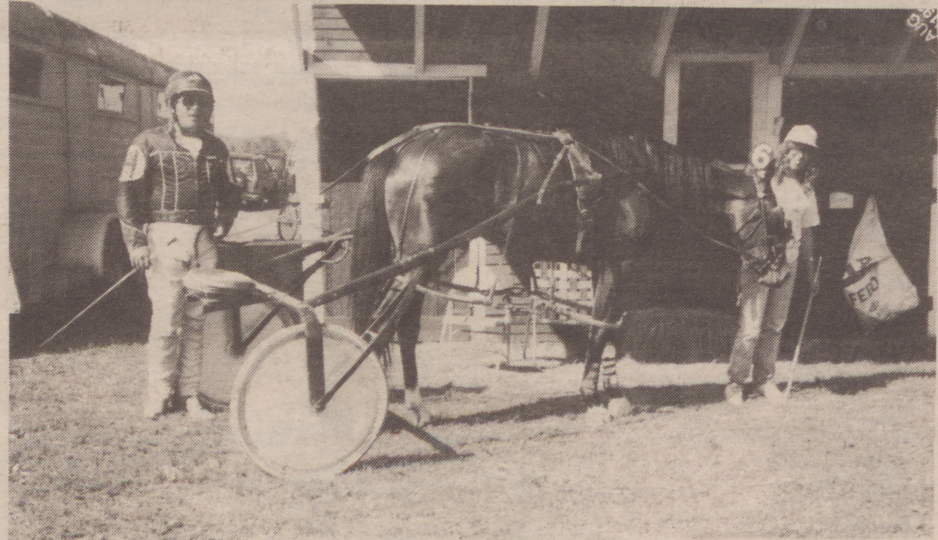
## **Orleans County Fair - Barton, Vt.**



Barton Fair "railbirds". Some of these "birds" migrate South for the winter!



ROAD PRINCE, a Meadow Road trotter owned by Bruce Hadlock of Littleton, N.H. with trainer, Dave Bosworth.



SIGNAL HILL BILLY won the NY/VT three year old pace at the Barton Fair for Charlie Fleming and assistant, Heidi.



The Bridge family - Elmer, Alton and Terry, who have been racing at Barton for the past 25 yrs, with their two yr old trotter, RAMBLING DABEAU.



# Wheelin' Wally Watson

BY JEAN EMERSON

In this day and age, with so many avenues for young people to explore, it is rare, indeed, to find a person completely harness racing oriented. Wallace Watson is that individual.

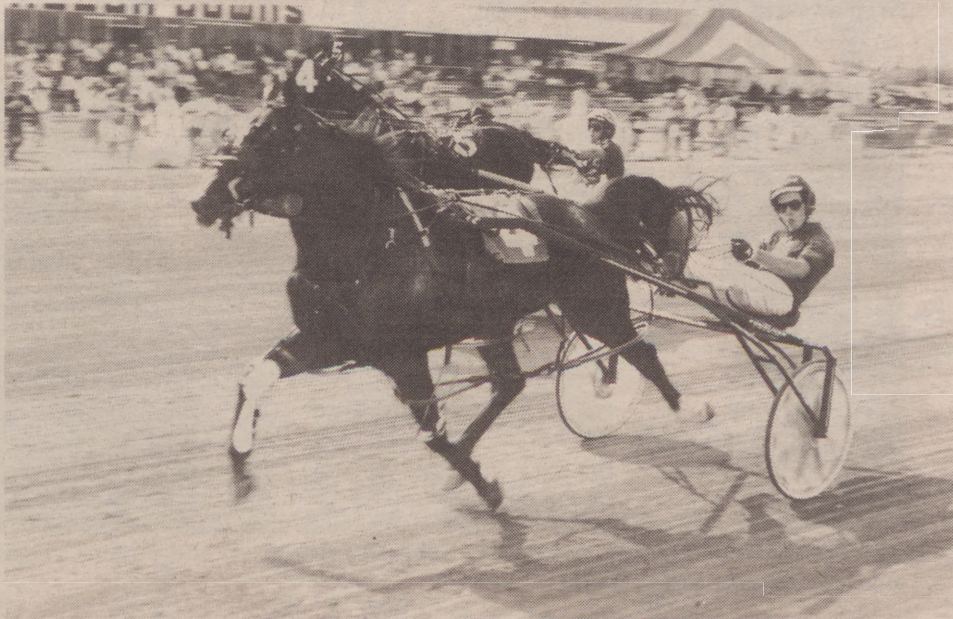
At twenty one years of age, he has already spent over half his life preparing to be a top teamster. He is totally dedicated to that proposition. He is also fortunate to have, what many lack, the support of the entire family.

Born in Gonic, New Hampshire, Wallace grew up on the family dairy farm....however, there was always room for a few horses. He comes rightfully by his aversion for the harness game, as both father, Raymond, and mother, Peggy, have been involved since the early sixties. Old timers will remember J.W. Pick. Since that time the Watsons have explored all aspects of the industry. They have raced at New England Fairs and extended meets for over thirty years. They have bred horses for the New Hampshire Stakes in the early eighties and then for the Mass Sire Stakes, until the closing of Foxboro.

In 1986 the farm in Gonic, N.H. was sold for a landfill, and the move was made to the Loudon Road in Saco, Maine, a short hop from Scarborough Downs. They presently stand the tough campaigner, K.C. Three at their Dream On Farm. It is here that the business is based. This is the hub of activity. The barn contains 17 box stalls, there are 5 paddocks, a horse walker and a regulation half mile training track. Farm owned racehorses include: Mijaroma Mike, Wally G., Maggie Darlin, the trotter Scipio Flash and the Stakes filly Pammy's Warrior, plus broodmares and a

few yearlings. There is also every imaginable piece of equipment on the farm, as the Watsons usually cut and store about 5,000 bales of hay each year. They are very self-sufficient. It is not unusual for Wallace and brother, Kenneth, to qualify horses Saturday morning, come home and work in the hayfield, then go back to race horses at Scarborough that evening. Raymond and Peggy are always there to lend a hand, insuring the success of this family operated business.

However, the one key ingredient that calls for special expertise is the driving. Wallace fills that capacity. He received his Qualifying license in 1987 and his A license from Judge John McGuire a year later. He got his first win at the Fryeburg Fair with Salisbury Ed in 1987. He has learned a lot in the past five years, and is well liked by his fellow horsemen. Besides racing the farm stock, he has added training for outsiders, and catch driving, to his list of accomplishments. He trains Power Bob for John Kozlowski and catch drives Sure Out for Jodi Libbey. He trains and drives the Maine Stakes pacer, Kinda Tuff for Lynn Marie Smith. He drives My Son and Pine's Handy Jet for Fred Greenwood, and at Scarborough Downs on Sunday, August 2nd he set a new track record of 1:58.1 for aged pacing mares with Gail Rollins, Katie Bar The Door, then came back in a later race with her Tahoe Lobell to win in 1:57.1, his fastest mile ever. He presently has a UDRS of 279 and his stock seems to be improving every day. It is obvious that Wallace Watson's success stems from the fact that he likes what he's doing.

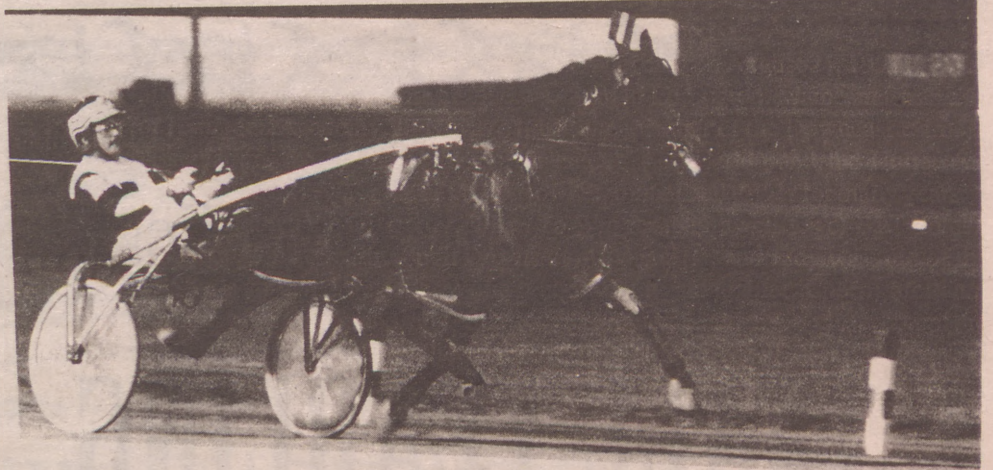


Wallace Watson wins with his favorite, Wally G.

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**PRESIDENTIAL BALL** and Jack Moiseyev win the Lawrence Sheppard Final at Yonkers in 1:54.3, performing at the same track his dam, I Marilyn, raced over.

## The New England Connection...

BY CHIP WAKELY

The Woodrow Wilson Pace is the premier event for the nation's top two year olds. These blue-blooded colts are infused with the most prolific ancestors in the Standardbred sport. No Nukes, Cam Fella, Albatross, Big Towner etc. are the norm for this elite group. This year there is a colt with distinct "New England blood" flowing through his veins, who has been a prominent contender.

You may have guessed the name...it's Presidential Ball, and coming into the Wilson elimination he was 5 for 5 with \$248,000. on his card. He finished third...with a flat tire. In the Wilson final he looked really impressive cutting the mile, only to lose by a neck with a final fraction of 28.3 in the 1:51.4 trip. He is a colt to watch in the future.

Presidential Ball is the latest in a long line of great colts sired by the great Cam Fella. No New England ties there...but take a look at the dam. She is I Marilyn by Mountain Skipper,

that's right...New England's own Mountain Skipper! While his stallion career has been spotty, he has shown the ability to sire the occasional speedy offspring. I Marilyn was one such horse. Though she was not of Grand Circuit quality, she was a hard hitting mare with a sub-two minute mark with over \$100,000. to her credit. She competed at Yonkers and Foxboro, in her prime.

Mountain Skipper's sire was Dale Frost, who is also the sire of Meadow Skipper and Fulla Napoleon. This may be his legacy. With the success of Presidential Ball, we may see more New England breeders crossing Mountain Skipper mares with good Meadow Skipper line stallions. The results could prove very interesting.

New Englanders will feel a special kinship for Presidential Ball. Hopefully, through his daughter, Mountain Skipper has passed on his speed and charisma to his grandson.

### THE \$382,000 LAWRENCE B. SHEPPARD FINAL

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horse (driver)	pp	1/4	1/2	3/4	str	fin	odds
<b>Presidential Ball</b> (J. Moiseyev)	4	1°	2	2	1/nk	1/4 1/2	e*.70
<b>Cams Magic Trick</b> (C. Manzi)	1	2	1	1	2/nk	2/4 1/2	1.00
<b>Giant Thrill</b> (R. Wojcio)	3	5	6	6	4/3 1/2	3/7	65.50
<b>Keystone Endeavor</b> (R. Hammer)	2	3	4	3	3/2	4/8 1/4	15.40
<b>Broadway Jate</b> (H. Filion)	5	6	5°	5°	6/5	5/9 1/4	57.60
<b>Sea About It</b> (J. Campbell)	6	7	8	8	5/4 1/2	6/10 1/4	19.70
<b>Fed Ex</b> (J. Morrill, Jr.)	7	8	7°	7°	8/6	7/10 1/2	72.90
<b>Niascoot</b> (S. Noble, III)	8	9	9	9	7/6	8/11	188.00
<b>Bunnys First</b> (Bt. Robinson)	9	4	3°	4°	9/14	9/dis	e*.70

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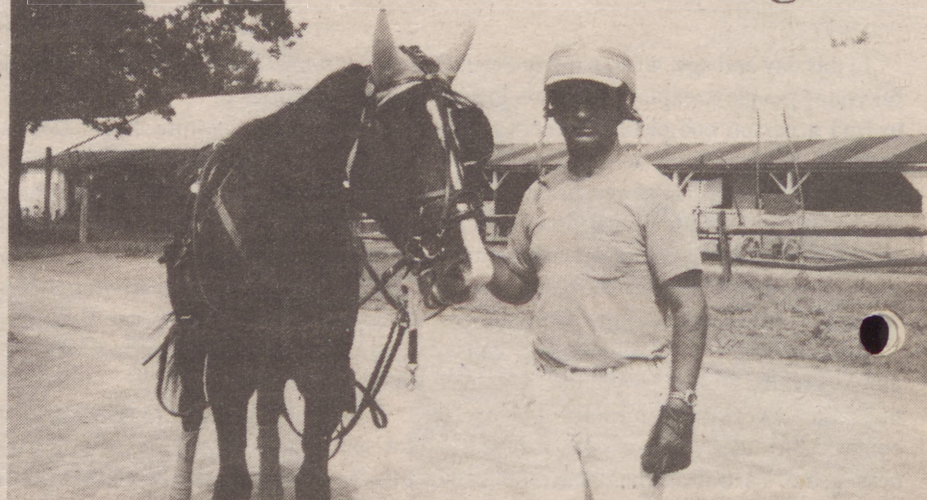
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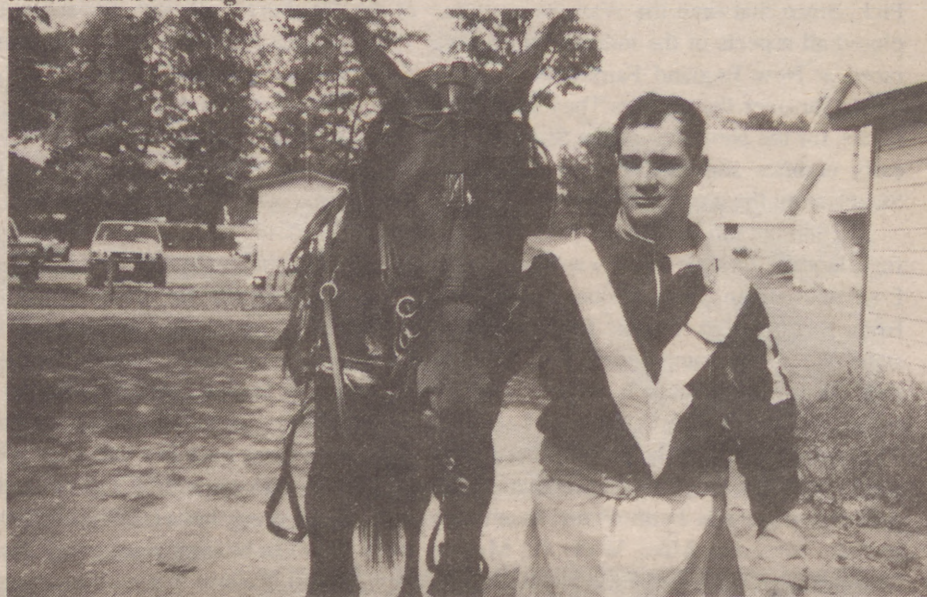
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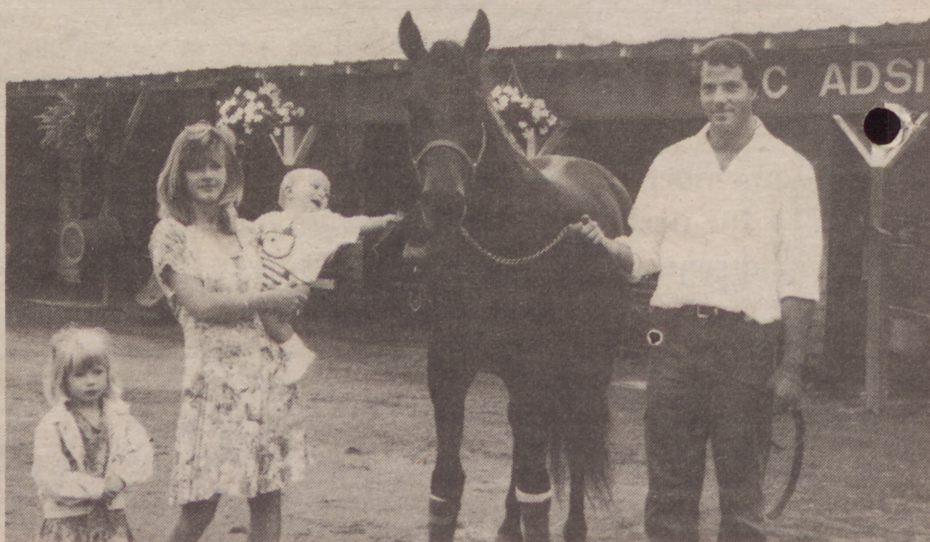
Gary Kamal and trotter, KAY'S PAYDAY, owned by Joe Costa of Plymouth, Mass. will be racing at Foxboro.



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The Adsits, Rick, his wife and father, Bob, with ROLAND and owner Creightor Brittell at the Saratoga stable.

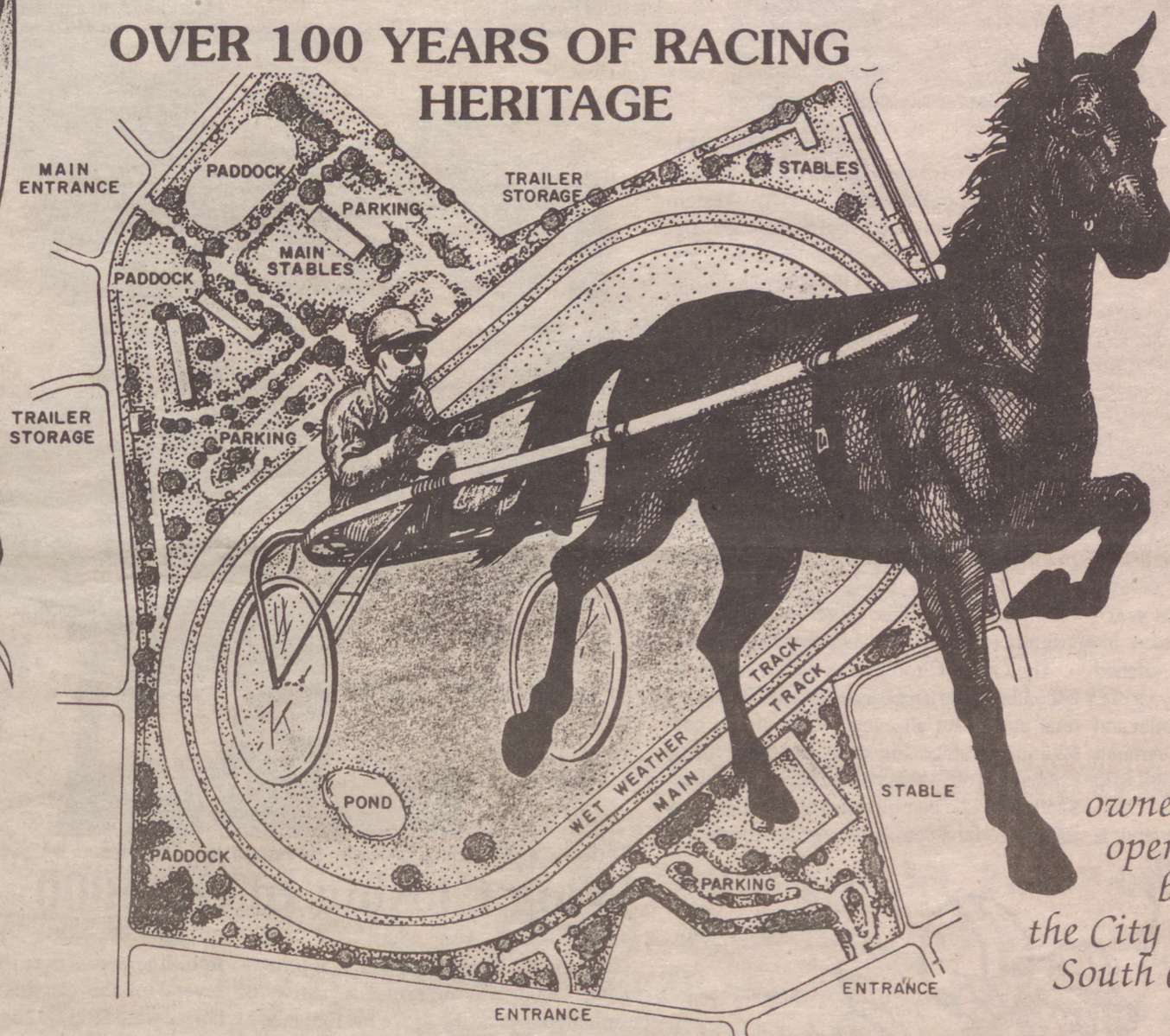


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## Western Hanover....Jug Threat!



**WESTERN HANOVER**, trained by Gene Riegler preps for the Little Brown Jug scheduled at Delaware, Ohio on Sept. 24th.

BY BOB LOWELL

By winning the Cane Pace at Yonkers, Western Hanover has strengthened his position as winterbook favorite to win the 47th renewal of the Little Brown Jug on September 24th in Delaware, Ohio.

Sired by No Nukes and out of Wendymae Hanover, the three year old won the first leg of the Triple Crown for pacers in 1:53.3 for owner, George Segal, trainer, Gene Riegler and driver, Bill Fahy.

The Little Brown Jug is the third jewel in the crown, with the Messenger slated for September 12th at Rosecroft. The Little Brown Jug Preview is also scheduled for September 12th at Scioto Downs.

Of the 172 eligibles for the Jug, several stakes winners promise to make this year's rendition challenging. Those sustained include: Meadowlands Pace winner Carlsbad Cam, plus Safely Kept, Wear My Ring, Crouch, Cole Muffler, Run The Gauntlet and Shore Patrol, who is trained by Tom Artandi who won the Jug back to back in 1988-89 with Goalie Jeff and B.J. Scoot.

In past seasons some of the top contenders

have journeyed to the Jug under the shadow of little experience on half mile tracks. Western Hanover has eliminated that pre-race speculation possibility with his triumph in the Cane and his earlier victory in the Cleveland Classic at Northfield in 1:54.1.

The Jug, which attracts fans from all over the world, was first contested in 1946. The first was won by Ensign Hanover with Ohio native son, Wayne "Curly" Smart, in the sulky.

The Jugette for three year old fillies is set for Wednesday, September 23rd. Of the 102 distaff performers eligible, some of the top include, Hazelton Kay, owned by Rose Guida and the Royal Palm Stable. The Jate Lobell filly is trained by Bruce Nickels. Summer Child, from the Richie Silverman Stable and Trimtex trained by Artandi are next in line.

The Grand Circuit week also features the \$500,000. Ohio Breeders Championships with total purses for all events exceeding a cool \$2.5million. The Jug races this year for an estimated \$600,000. and the Jugette for about \$250,000. The combination of top-flight racing in a country setting makes the Jug unique.



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## Trainer Profile: Gene Riegler

BY BOB LOWELL

The 64 year old Gene Riegler has a top threat in Western Hanover to win the prestigious, Little Brown Jug. A Living-Hall-Of-Fame inductee at Goshen in July, Riegler, as a trainer has twice won the Jugette, the companion classic for fillies.

Three Diamonds captured the Jugette in 1982 and Leah Almahurst in 1988. The classic match-up in the Jug didn't materialize last season when Riegler's prize pupil, Artsplace, was a non-starter.

Over the years, Riegler's horses have won most of the sport's top stakes. His arsenal of top talent has included Nuclear Legacy, Silky Stallone, Righthand Man, Swirlabout and Tuscon Hanover.

While in recent seasons Riegler has left the stable's driving duties to sons Bruce and Alan, he is a standout driver in his own right.

In 1986 Riegler set a world's record with trotter Op'Art at Scioto Downs in Columbus with a 1:57.2 effort on a five eighths track. The gelding also won at the Meadowlands in 1:56.1. Equally as deft with trotters, as pacers, Riegler won the Kentucky Futurity in 1973 with Almahurst, who was catch-driven by Joe O'Brien. In the 1958 Hambletonian, Riegler drew national attention guiding Mr. Saunders to a second and a third in two heats. His first driving victory occurred at 17 at the Darke County Fair in Ohio.

Good luck to a talented gentleman!



Maine's, TED WING, is on the threshold of 4,000 wins as we go to press in Sept.

## Wing Closing In On 4000

BY BOB LOWELL

Ted Wing, a Yonkers regular, is approaching the 4000 win milestone. A native of Farmington, Maine, he drove his first race in 1964 at the Farmington Fairgrounds.

Earlier this season, Wing was sidelined for several months recuperating from a racing accident at Yonkers. Last season he won 197 times and banked over \$1.3million in purses. It was his 13th million-plus season and boosted his lifetime total over the \$25million plateau.

While his dad, Morris Wing, was a trainer-driver as well as woodlands manager for International Paper, Wing identifies his harness mentor as Red Keene. Keene was a quiet well-dressed trainer with a neat-as-a-pin stable. He had studied under Jimmy Wingfield, forever remembered as the caretaker of Greyhound.

The elder Wing had once worked for the Vic Fleming Stable and it was probably the origin of his green and white colors.

As a young driver launching a career, Wing, now 44, once told the Northeast Harness News that his heroes were Don Richards and Freeman Parker, both dominant drivers on the Pine Tree Circuit. Wing has been associated with

front-line horses over the years and has won several of the classics. Some well known horses were Skip By Night, Threefold, Prince Royce, invitational trotter Calvert and Butler B.G. with lifetime earnings of nearly \$900,000.

When the Meadowlands opened, Wing moved his base of operation from the Foxboro-Rockingham circuit to New Jersey. A stand-out at Yonkers and Roosevelt, he was also the leading UDRS driver at Freehold with a .381 in 1987.

Several seasons he has ranked high among the nation's leaders in victories and money won department. His top year for wins was 1978 with 309 finishing sixth, although in 1975 he finished fifth with 304 trips to the winners circle.

The best year in purses was 1978 with \$2.5 million and finishing third nationally. Impeccable in appearance on and off the track, Wing is articulate and represents the industry very well. In horsemanship, dress and manners, Wing mirrors the traits of the "old school" horseman. They live on in Ted Wing, and it's refreshing!



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